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Transmitted herewith for filing is a 176-page patent specification including 88 claims and an abstract. Also included are Figures 1-10 on eleven sheets and an 8-page sequence listing. The specification, drawings, and sequence listing constitute the application of Michael G. Rosenblum and Lawrence Cheung for the captioned invention.

Also transmitted herewith is a diskette containing the computer-readable form of those sequences in the specification, a Statement as Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f), and a separate paper copy of the sequence listing.

### Applicants claim small entity status.

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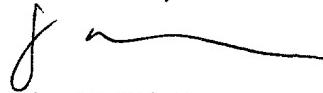
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